

VILLAGE OF BOSTON HEIGHTS	Codified?	First Reading <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X	Waiver 3-Reading Rule _____
RESOLUTION NO: 2026-2-5	Yes _____	Second Reading _____	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X
INTRODUCED BY _____	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X	Third Reading _____	No _____

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO RETROACTIVELY ENTER INTO
A CONTRACT WITH THE SUMMIT COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDER’S OFFICE;
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Village of Boston Heights, Summit County, Ohio as follows:

Section 1. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter a contract with the Legal Defender’s Office of Summit County, Inc. and the County of Summit, Ohio for public legal defender services during 2026, retroactively effective as of January 1, 2026. It shall be in a form and upon terms and conditions acceptable to the Mayor and approved as to form by the Village Solicitor.

Section 2. That Council hereby finds and determines that all formal actions relative to the adoption of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council which resulted in formal action were taken in meetings open to the public, in full compliance with the applicable legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 3. That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety of the Village residents, to timely approve the agreement and make arrangements for such legal counsel, and to allow for the continued operations of the Village Police Department, Mayor’s Court, and other departments and shall, therefore, take effect and be in force from and immediately after its passage.

PASSED:



RON ANTAL, MAYOR

ATTEST:

I, Scott Varney, Fiscal Officer and Clerk of the Council for the Village of Boston Heights, Summit County, Ohio, do hereby certify that the foregoing **Resolution 2026-2-5** duly passed by the Council of the Village of Boston Heights, County of Summit, State of Ohio at a meeting of Council on this **10th day of February 2026**.



SCOTT VARNEY, FISCAL OFFICER